New to area was Van Fleet. He arrived from Michigan and claimed a homestead in Fern Prairie in 1833.

Van fleet acted as administrator of Parker's estate. In payment he received a parcel of Parkersville property, that remained in the Fleet family until 1868, the Hunsaker's in 1852, and the Braun's in 1857.

Until 1978—the acreage contained the Van Fleet home. It contained 2 homes. A home from Fern Prairie and one from Parkersville down behind to make one home.

October 1978—home was destroyed by fire.